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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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The reply filed on August 12, 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): it does not state which of the new claims, if any, read on the elected species of Figure 1. This is an on-going requirement. See Paper No. 4, page 2, last two lines.

Furthermore, the replacement claims on pages 1-4 of the August 12, 2002 amendment cannot be reconciled with the marked-up copies found on pages 14-17. They are materially different. See for example claim 1 which includes a paragraph (e) in one incantation and no paragraph (e) in another incantation. Please fix this and make sure all the claims agree with one another. Claim 1 is offered up by example only. The remainder the claims have not been reviewed carefully.

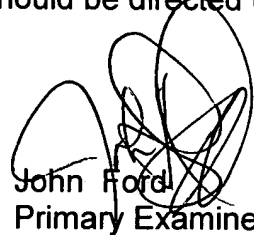
The response also alleges a substitute specification (a duplicated original) was submitted. There is none in the Examiner's file. Please submit one or re-submit one (whichever is applicable).

Regarding the drawing corrections, the Examiner did receive new drawings November 20, 2001 however, in Figures 2-6, many parts (apparently finding correspondence in Figure 7) are not labeled or legended. If Figures 2-6 do not add anything material to the disclosure, the Examiner would suggest canceling them. If they do add some-thing material, label all the parts in each of Figures 2-6 which find correspondence in Figure 7. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the

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omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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